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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

DETAILED ACTION


Response to Amendment

1. The reply filed on August 22, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the drawing issues has not been properly treated, i.e., the drawing have been amended to retain them as black and white only. However as indicated in the previous office action, there are two issues, and were not addressed; 1) nothing can be discerned from the black and white printout of figure 24, i.e., a black mass is shown and 2) the caption in figure 24, still indicates that the figure is a color photograph. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to José A Fortuna whose telephone number is 703-305-7498. The examiner can normally be reached on 9:30-6:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Steven P. Griffin can be reached on 703-308-1164. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0662.


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